Exhibit B

## AFFIDAVIT OF MICHAEL HAMILTON

I, Michael Hamilton, being sworn, hereby state:

## I. Background of Affiant

- I am employed by the San Francisco Police Department (SFPD). I hold the rank of Inspector. I have been employed by the SFPD for twenty five years.
   I have been assigned to the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF) for approximately eight and one half years.
- 2. I have investigated hundreds of cases involving the illegal possession of firearms.
- 3. I am familiar with the facts as set forth herein through written reports, records and/or documents.

## II. This Investigation

- 4. On August 5, 2007, a guest at the Hilton Hotel in San Francisco reported that some of his belongings, including a laptop computer and cell phone, had been stolen from his room, #13572. Hilton Hotel security staff began investigating the theft. Hotel security learned that another guest, Michael Young, had been given a key to room #13572 in error. Hilton security began to suspect that Young had stolen the items from room #13572. Young was actually registered to room #13575.
- 5. Hilton security staff attempted to interview Young, but he had left the hotel. Hilton security then entered Young's room, #13575, and found two backpacks, one of which contained a loaded gun. Hilton security staff returned the backpacks to where they had found them and placed Young's room on electronic lockdown, disabling Young's room key. When Young did return to the hotel at approximately 12:30am on August 6, 2007, Young discovered that his room key did not work. Young went to the front desk to determine why he could not enter his room. Hilton security then contacted San Francisco Police (SFPD) Officer Michael Koniaris, who was working near the Hilton. Hilton security asked Koniaris to detain Young. Young told Officer Koniaris he had been to prison.

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- Hilton Hotel security officers Dirk Carr and Roger Hicks then informed SFPD Officer Koniaris about the theft from room 13572 and about the gun found in room 13575. They asked Koniaris to accompany them to room 13575, the room registered to Young.
- 7. Officer Koniaris advised Hicks and Carr he could not enter and search Young's room. Officer Koniaris waited outside as the two security officers entered Young's room.
- 8. Hilton Hotel security officer Hicks removed a blue backpack from the closet. Hicks placed the backpack on the bed and unzipped the outer pocket. That pocket contained the handgun that Hilton staff had previously discovered.
- Officer Koniaris then entered Young's room and saw the gun in the unzipped pocket of the backpack. Officer Koniaris seized the backpack and handgun. He then arrested Young.
- 10. SFPD Inspector Denise Fabbri later interviewed Young. After being advised of his <u>Miranda</u> rights Young, in part, stated he obtained the handgun three hours prior to checking into the Hilton. Young also admitted to the theft from room #13572.
- 11. Michael Young's criminal history indicates that he has the following prior felony convictions, Cal. Health and Safety §11378 (Possession of Narcotics with Intent to Distribute), Cal. Health and Safety §11379 (Sale of Narcotics), and Cal. Penal Code 484G (Theft by Access Card).
- 12. The handgun recovered from Young's room, an H&R Model 930 .22 caliber revolver, bears markings indicating the state of manufacture to be Massachusetts.

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## III. Conclusion

Based on the above, I have determined that there is probable cause to believe that on August 6, 2007, Michael Young did knowingly and intentionally possess a firearm in violation of United States Code Title 18, Section 922(g) (1).

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of

my knowledge and belief.

Inspector Michael Hamilton San Francisco Police

Subscribed and sworn to before me on:

August 11, 2007

Joseph C. Spero U.S. Magistrate Judge

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(Name and Addr	ess of Defendant)				JCS	
I, the undersigned c	omplainant being duly sv	worn state that the follower	owing is true	and correct t	to the best of my	
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(Track Statutory Language of having been convicted of a crime commerce	**	for a term exceeding one ye	ear, did posses	s a firearm in or	affecting interstate	
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I further state that I am a(n)	a(n) Inspector with ATF and that this com		mplaint is base	d on the		
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